### Monday, January 27, 1958

#### HIGHLIGHTS

Both Houses received President's message on education.

# Senate

### Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 987-1047

Bills Introduced: 38 bills and 7 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3125-3162; S. J. Res. 146; and S. Res. 249-254. Pages 994-996

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1249, 1942, 1943, 1961, 2060, 2064, 2147, 2301, pri-

vate bills (S. Repts. 1189-1196);

S. Con. Res. 57, providing additional funds of \$80,000 for the Joint Committee on Washington Metropolitan Problems (S. Rept. 1197);

S. Res. 208, authorizing Committee on Post Office and Civil Service to investigate certain matters under its jurisdiction and providing \$50,000 therefor (S. Rept. 1198);

S. Res. 222, increasing by \$20,000 limit of expenditures by Select Committee on Improper Activities in the Labor or Management Field (S. Rept. 1199);

S. Res. 231, authorizing expenditure by Committee on the Judiciary of \$365,000 for investigation of antitrust and monopoly laws (S. Rept. 1200);

S. Res. 232, authorizing Committee on the Judiciary to make expenditures of \$50,000 for a further study of administration of Trading With the Enemy Act and the War Claims Act (S. Rept. 1201);

S. Res. 233, authorizing Committee on the Judiciary to make expenditures of \$200,000 for investigation of the administration and operation of national security laws (S. Rept. 1202);

S. Res. 234, authorizing Committee on the Judiciary to make expenditures of \$115,000 to investigate matters pertaining to constitutional rights (S. Rept. 1203);

S. Res. 235, authorizing Committee on the Judiciary to make expenditures of \$90,000 to investigate immigration and naturalization matters (S. Rept. 1204);

S. Res. 236, authorizing Committee on the Judiciary to make expenditures of \$135,000 for study of administration of Patent Office (S. Rept. 1205);

S. Res. 237, authorizing Committee on the Judiciary to make expenditures of \$75,000 to investigate juvenile delinquency (S. Rept. 1206);

S. Res. 230, authorizing Committee on the Judiciary to make expenditures of \$5,000 for investigation of national penitentiaries (S. Rept. 1207);

S. Res. 239, authorizing Committee on the Judiciary to make expenditures of \$35,000 for investigation of problems relating to certain foreign countries (refugees and escapees) (S. Rept. 1208);

S. Res. 241, extending until July 31, 1958, functions of Subcommittee on Disarmament of Committee on Foreign Relations and authorizing \$34,000 therefor

(S. Rept. 1209);

S. Res. 221, continuing the Select Committee on Improper Activities in Labor or Management Field and increasing its limit of expenditures to \$500,000, with amendment (S. Rept. 1210);

S. Res. 223, authorizing Committee on Government Operations to make expenditures of not more than

\$200,000, with amendment (S. Rept. 1211);

S. Res. 229, authorizing Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs to make certain investigation and to make expenditures therefor of not more than \$180,000, with amendment (S. Rept. 1212);

S. Res. 238, authorizing Committee on the Judiciary to make expenditures of \$45,000 for a study of matters pertaining to strengthening the Federal Criminal Code,

with amendment (S. Rept. 1213);

S. Res. 240, authorizing Committee on Foreign Relations to employ 2 additional professional staff members and 2 additional clerical assistants, with amendment (S. Rept. 1214);

S. 1578, 2087, 2256, 2346, 1979, 2187, 2196, H. J. Res. 417, 429, 435, 436, 437, private bills (S. Repts. 1215-

1226);

S. Res. 210, authorizing Committee on Post Office and Civil Service to employ an additional clerical assistant (no written report);

S. Res. 246, to pay expenses of committee appointed to attend the funeral of the late Senator Neely (no written report).

S. Res. 250, authorizing Committee on Rules and Administration to make complete study of all matters pertaining to Federal elections generally (including those for President and Members of Congress), and Presidential successions, and authorizing expenditure of \$150,000 and employment of temporary personnel therefor (S. Rept. 1227);

S. Res. 252, authorizing Committee on Labor and Public Welfare to expend an additional \$10,000 (no written report) and referred to Committee on Rules

and Administration;

S. Res. 253, authorizing Committee on Labor and Public Welfare to employ certain temporary staff members and assistants (no written report) and referred to Committee on Rules and Administration; and

S. Res. 254, authorizing Committee on Labor and Public Welfare to employ additional clerical assistants (no written report) and referred to Committee on Rules and Administration.

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President's Message—Education: Message from President transmitting emergency recommendations for expansion of the education activities of the National Science Foundation, and establishment of new programs in the Department of HEW, was received and referred to the Committee on Labor and Public Welfare.

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Senator Sworn In: Senator John D. Hoblitzell, Jr., of West Virginia, who had been appointed to the vacancy created by the death of Senator Neely, was sworn in.

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Tax: Senate passed without amendment and cleared for President's signature four Internal Revenue measures as follows, on each of which a motion to reconsider was tabled:

Incompetent decedents: H. R. 5938, to amend Internal Revenue Code of 1939 with respect to certain decedents who were adjudged incompetent before April 2, 1048:

Taxable years: H. R. 7762, to amend the Revenue Act of 1950 so that it will apply to taxable years ending in 1954 to which the Internal Revenue Code of 1939 applies;

Collected taxes' administration: H. R. 8865, relating to the administration of certain collected taxes; and

Stock option exercise: H. R. 9035, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 with respect to the basis of stock acquired by the exercise of restricted stock options after the death of the employee.

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Alcohol and Tobacco Tax Refunds: Senate passed with committee amendments H. R. 8216, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 to prevent unjust enrichment by precluding refunds of alcohol and tobacco taxes to persons who have not borne the ultimate burden of the tax. A motion to reconsider passage of this bill was tabled.

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Disaster Loans: Senate passed without amendment S. 2920, to amend the Small Business Act to authorize disaster loans to small business concerns suffering economic loss as a result of excessive rain.

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Land and Water Resources: Senate continued its consideration of S. Res. 148, regarding conservation and development of land and water resources, adopting committee amendments en bloc, the resolution as so amended being considered thereafter as original text for purpose of further amendment.

Pending at recess was motion by Senator Watkins to recommit the resolution to the Committees on Public Works and Interior and Insular Affairs with instructions that the legal and technical staffs of these committees jointly prepare certain data respecting a Federal water resources development policy.

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Confirmations: Senate confirmed the following nominations: Thorsten V. Kalijarvi, of New Hampshire, Robert McClintock, of California, Donald R. Heath, of Kansas, and Homer M. Byington, Jr., of Connecticut, to be Ambassadors respectively to El Salvador, Lebanon, Saudi Arabia, and the Federation of Malaya; Thomas C. Mann, of Texas, and Gerard C. Smith, of D. C., to be Assistant Secretaries of State; Dempster McIntosh, of Pennsylvania, to be Manager of Development Loan Fund, ICA, State Department; George V. Allen, of North Carolina, to be Director, USIA; Nelson P. Rose, of Ohio, to be General Counsel, Department of the Treasury; William P. Rogers, of Maryland, to be Attorney General; Tom B. Coughran, of California, to be U. S. Executive Director of International Bank for Reconstruction and Development; Jesse P. Wolcott, of Michigan, to be member of Board of Directors of the FDIC; John S. Patterson, of Maryland, to be Deputy Director, ODM; and Dr. H. van Zile Hyde, of Maryland, to be U. S. Representative on Board of World Health Organization.

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Nominations: 1 judicial and 21 coast guard nominations were received.

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Recess: Recessed at 5:45 p. m.

### Committee Meetings

#### DISASTER AREA LOANS

Committee on Agriculture and Forestry: Subcommittee on Agricultural Credit continued its hearings on S. 2921, to enable Federal intermediate credit banks to limit endorser's liability on loans in disaster areas, with favoring testimony from Representatives Murray and Davis of Tennessee, and Robert A. Everett, Union City, Tenn.

Hearings recessed subject to call of the Chair.

#### ECONOMIC SITUATION

Committee on Banking and Currency: On Friday, January 24, committee met in executive session to receive a report from the staff of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System on the current economic situation.

#### PUBLIC DEBT LIMIT INCREASE

Committee on Finance: Committee held hearings on H. R. 9955, to increase temporarily the public debt limit by \$5 billion, with testimony favoring its enactment from Secretary of the Treasury Robert B. Anderson.

Mr. Anderson will continue his testimony tomorrow, following which Budget Director Percival F. Brundage will be heard.

#### PRIVATE IMMIGRATION BILLS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported 20 private immigration bills (H. J. Res. 417, 429, 435, 436, 437; S. 1249, 1578, 1942, 1943, 1961, 1979, 2060, 2064, 2087, 2147, 2187, 2196,

2256, 2301, and 2346).

Committee indefinitely postponed 64 private immigration bills: S. 446, 486, 584, 661, 703, 709, 725, 760, 949, 1402, 1511, 1557, 1623, 1687, 1719, 1745, 1847, 1927, 1956, 1959, 1960, 1965, 1997, 2035, 2067, 2093, 2118, 2155, 2200, 2221, 2285, 2296, 2298, 2312, 2344, 2350, 2364, 2368, 2389, 2429, 2440, 2453, 2455, 2532, 2542, 2555, 2573, 2583, 2616, 2636, 2658, 2669, 2697, 2698, 2732, 2736, 2748, 2759, 2780, 2811, 2858, 2870, 2892, 2894.

#### PRESIDENTIAL INABILITY

Committee on the Judiciary: On Friday, January 24, Subcommittee on Constitutional Amendments held hearings on numerous bills and resolutions proposing amendment to the Constitution relating to determination of inability of the President to discharge the powers and duties of his office. Testimony was received from Senator O'Mahoney, who spoke in behalf of his bill, S. J. Res. 141, and William Y. Elliott, professor, department of government, Harvard University, who directed his remarks to several of the pending proposals.

Hearings were recessed subject to call of the Chair.

#### NOMINATIONS AND COMMITTEE FUNDS

Committee on Labor and Public Welfare: On Friday, January 24, committee, in executive session, ordered favorably reported the following: (1) Nomination of Leverett Edwards, to be a member of National Mediation Board, (2) 39 routine nominations in the Public Health Service, and (3) three original resolutions—S. Res. 252, authorizing the committee to expend an additional \$10,000, S. Res. 253, authorizing the committee to employ certain temporary staff members and assistants, and S. Res. 254, authorizing additional clerk hire for the committee.

#### POSTAL RATE INCREASES

Committee on Post Office and Civil Service: On Friday, January 24, Subcommittee on Postal Rates heard testimony from Postmaster General Arthur Summerfield, who explained the administration's new proposal on postal-rate increases. Mr. Summerfield will continue his testimony tomorrow.

#### COMMITTEE FUNDS

Committee on Rules and Administration: On Friday, January 24, committee, in executive session, ordered

favorably reported numerous resolutions authorizing funds for Senate committees, as follows:

Post Office and Civil Service—S. Res. 208, investigations, \$50,000; S. Res. 210, temporary additional clerical assistant.

Government Operations-S. Res. 223, \$200,000.

Select Committee on Improper Activities in the Labor or Management Field—S. Res. 221, \$500,000, and S. Res. 222, \$20,000.

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs—S. Res.

229, \$180,000.

Judiciary—S. Res. 230, national penitentiaries, \$5,000; S. Res. 231, Antitrust and Monopoly, \$365,000; S. Res. 232, trading with the enemy, \$50,000; S. Res. 233, Internal Security Committee, \$209,000; S. Res. 234, constitutional rights, \$115,000; S. Res. 235, Immigration and Naturalization, \$90,000; S. Res. 236, patents, trademarks, and copyrights, \$135,000; S. Res. 237, juvenile delinquency, \$75,000; S. Res. 238, improvements in Federal Criminal Code, \$40,000 (amended); and S. Res. 239, refugees and escapees, \$35,000.

Foreign Relations—S. Res. 240, 2 additional professional staff members and 2 additional clerical assistants on temporary basis; and S. Res. 241, Disarmament Sub-

committee, \$34,000.

Joint Committee on Washington Metropolitan Problems—S. Con. Res. 57, \$80,000.

Committee on Rules and Administration—original resolution (S. Res. 250), Privileges and Elections Subcommittee, \$150,000.

Committee also approved S. Res. 246, to pay expenses of the committee appointed to attend the funeral of the late Senator Neely.

#### LABOR-MANAGEMENT INVESTIGATION

Select Committee on Improper Activities in the Labor or Management Field: Committee continued its hearings with regard to the activities of the International Union of Operating Engineers, with testimony as to such activities in the Philadelphia area from Roy J. Underwood, former president, Homer Dawson, former business agent, Norman Gale, Ted McCarty, and Frank Lentino, members, and John Altamuro, an apprentice, all of local 542, of the IUOE.

On Friday, January 24, the committee heard testimony as to activities of this union in the New York area from Louis Wilkins, president, Peter Balalias, Garrett Nagle, Charles Skura, John DeKoning, William Wilkins, Edward Comensky, and William DeKoning, Jr., all members of local 138, IUOE. Testimony was also taken from Rev. John VantZanten, pastor of a Presbyterian Church in Roslyn, N. Y., and Jerome Adlerman, assistant chief counsel of the committee's staff.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

# House of Representatives

### Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 31 public bills, H. R. 10266–10296; 7 private bills, H. R. 10297–10303; and 7 resolutions, H. J. Res. 515, H. Con. Res. 243 and 244, and H. Res. 452–455, were introduced.

Bills Reported: Reports were filed as follows:

Report of the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce entitled "Network Broadcasting" (H. Rept. 1207): and

H. R. 9700, to consolidate into one act all of the laws administered by the Veterans' Administration, amended (H. Rept. 1298).

New Member Sworn: Representative-elect John H. Dent, of the 21st Congressional District of Pennsylvania, presented himself at the bar of the House and took the oath of office.

Flood Prevention: Heard the reading of a communication from the chairman of the Committee on Agriculture approving certain work plans pursuant to section 2 of the Watershed Protection and Flood Prevention Act. The communication was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Committee Resignation: Received and read a letter from Representative Mills submitting his resignation from the Joint Economic Committee.

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Committee Appointments: Received and read a communication from the chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means appointing Representative Forand to the Joint Committee on Internal Revenue. Announcement was also made by the Speaker of the appointment of Representative Gregory to the Joint Committee To Investigate Nonessential Federal Expenditures; and Representative Boggs to membership on the Joint Economic Committee.

Committee Elections: Adopted H. Res. 452, electing to membership on standing committees the following Members:

Representative Mitchell to the Committees on the District of Columbia and Veterans' Affairs;

Representative Dent to the Committee on Education and Labor;

Representative Dellay to Committees on Merchant Marine and Fisheries and Post Office and Civil Service.

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President's Message—Education: Heard the reading of a message from the President recommending certain temporary emergency Federal actions to improve educational opportunities in science and engineering. The

message was referred to the Committee on Education and Labor and ordered printed as a House document (H. Doc. 318).

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Military Public Land Withdrawal: Disagreed to Senate amendments to H. R. 5538, to provide that withdrawals, reservations, or restrictions of more than 5,000 acres of public lands of the United States for certain purposes shall not become effective until approved by act of Congress; requested a conference with the Senate; and appointed as conferees Representatives Engle, Aspinall, Baring, Saylor, and Dawson of Utah.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 3:48 p. m.

## Committee Meetings

#### WATERSHED PROJECTS

Committee on Agriculture: Met on Friday, January 24, in executive session and approved the work plans for the following watershed projects and communicated such approval to the House: Alabama, High Pine Creek; Colorado, Big Sandy Creek; North Carolina, Abbotts Creek and Deep Creek; Texas, Knob Creek and York Creek.

#### COTTON

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Cotton met on Friday, January 24, and received testimony from Howard Doggett, Director, Soil Bank Division, Agriculture Department, and other witnesses, regarding the soil bank as it relates to cotton. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

#### NATIONAL DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Continued executive inquiry regarding the national defense program. Among the witnesses heard today was Lt. Gen. James Gavin, Chief of Research and Development, Army Department.

On Friday, January 24, committee received executive testimony from Lieutenant General Gavin, Gen. L. L. Lemnitzer, Acting Chief of Staff, Army Department, and other witnesses.

#### MILITARY RESERVE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee No. 1 met on Friday, January 24, in executive session for the consideration of military reserve matters. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

#### FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS ACT

Committee on Banking and Currency: On Friday, January 24, continued hearings on S. 1451 and H. R. 7026,

Financial Institutions Act, and heard further testimony from public witnesses. Hearings resume on Tuesday, January 28.

#### SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on General Education continued hearings relative to Public Laws 815 and 874, 81st Congress, relating to construction and maintenance of school facilities in areas affected by Federal activities. Witnesses heard today were various public school officials.

On Friday, January 24, testimony on this subject was received from the following Members of Congress: Representatives Boykin, Trimble, Scudder, Berry, Baldwin, Bennett of Florida, Cramer, McGovern, Dawson of Utah, Patman, Wilson of California, Rivers, Magnuson, Hagen, Shuford, Ullman, McFall, and Polk.

#### MILITARY AIR SERVICE

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Military Operations continued hearings relative to the Military Air Transport Service and today received testimony relative to airlift requirements in relation to MATS. Army Department witnesses were heard.

On Friday, January 24, Navy Department witnesses

were heard on the same subject.

#### INTERIOR MISCELLANY

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands ordered favorably reported to the full committee S. 1828, to retrocede to the State of Montana concurrent police jurisdiction over the Blackfeet Highway and its connections with the Glacier National Park road system. Also considered but took no action on H. R. 4503, to provide that all interests of the United States in a certain tract of land formerly conveyed to it by the Commonwealth of Kentucky shall be quitclaimed and returned to the Commonwealth of Kentucky. Testimony on H. R. 4503 was received from Representative Chelf.

Subcommittee also met in executive session but took no final action on S. 846, for the establishment of a National Outdoor Recreation Resources Review Commission, and will continue executive consideration of this bill tomorrow.

#### WATERPOWER RESOURCES

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Irrigation and Reclamation met on Friday, January 24, with the directors of the National Reclamation Association. Also resumed consideration of but took no action on H. R. 6997, and related bills, to provide for the joint development of the waterpower resources of the Trinity River division, Central Valley project, California, by the United States and Pacific Gas & Electric Co.

#### CAB

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: Subcommittee on Legislative Oversight began hearings to examine certain Government agencies to determine whether or not there has been variation from intent of the Congress in setting up and granting powers to such agencies. Heard today was James R. Durfee, Chairman, Civil Aeronautics Board, who will continue his testimony at a date to be announced.

Hearings continue tomorrow with representatives of the Interstate Commerce Commission, Federal Trade Commission, and Federal Power Commission scheduled

to be heard.

#### SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH

Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce: A joint meeting of the Subcommittees on Transportation and Communications and Health and Science was held on Friday, January 24, and testimony was received from officials of the National Science Foundation relative to stimulation of scientific research and education. Adjourned subject to call of the Chair.

#### OBSCENE LITERATURE

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee No. 1 held hearing on the following bills, all relating to obscene literature: H. R. 2542, 3663, 6239, 3033, 3498, and 7829. Members of Congress heard were Representatives Dowdy and Nimtz. Submitting statements for the record were Representatives Celler and Derounian. Adjourned until Thursday, January 30.

#### HOLIDAY DESIGNATIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: On Friday, January 24, Subcommittee No. 4 met in executive session and ordered adversely reported to the full committee the following bills:

H. R. 3336 and H. Con. Res. 134, Friendship Day; H. J. Res. 13, 132, 240, Senior Citizen Day; H. J. Res. 28, 325, 60, Teacher's Day; H. J. Res. 48, Inter-Faith Day; H. J. Res. 49, Dedication Day; H. J. Res. 50, Memorial Day as a Day for a Nationwide Prayer for Peace; H. J. Res. 63, 70, 93, 118, Inauguration Day; H. J. Res. 87, 142, Shut-In's Day; H. J. Res. 92, A Day of Prayer for the Man and Woman in White; H. J. Res. 94, 95, 207, and H. Res. 63, General Pulaski Memorial Day; H. J. Res. 154, Indian Day; H. J. Res. 223, United States Week; H. J. Res. 153, 254, Bill of Rights Day; S. Con. Res. 10, National Hospital Week; H. J. Res. 376, Youth Appreciation Week; H. R. 6440, appropriation for American National Theatre and Academy; and H. R. 4902, to incorporate the National Academy of Design.

#### NUCLEAR-POWERED VESSEL

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Concluded hearings but took no final action on Friday, January 24, on H. R. 9196, and identical bills, to authorize construction of a nuclear-powered icebreaking vessel for operation by the U. S. Coast Guard.

#### VETERANS' LEGISLATION

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Ordered favorably reported to the House H. R. 9700 (amended) to consolidate into one act all of the laws administered by the Veterans' Administration.

#### GENERAL REVENUE REVISION

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on general revenue revision. Also held hearing on Fri-

day, January 24. Among the witnesses heard was Representative Evins. Hearings continue tomorrow.

## Joint Committee Meetings

#### PRESIDENT'S ECONOMIC REPORT

Joint Economic Committee: Committee began, today in executive session, its hearings on the President's economic report, with testimony from Raymond J. Saulnier, Chairman, accompanied by Joseph S. Davis and Paul W. McCracken, both members, all of the Council of Economic Advisers. Hearings will continue tomorrow in open session.

Tuesday, January 28, 1958

#### HIGHLIGHTS

House passed tax revision bill.

# Senate

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### Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 1143-1170

Bills Introduced: 18 bills and 1 resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3163-3180; and S. J. Res. 147.

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Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H. R. 6078, to erect suitable markers at Fort Myer, Va., to commemorate the first flight of an airplane on an Army installation (S. Rept. 1228);

H. R. 5809, to provide for a U. S. S. Arizona memorial

at Pearl Harbor (S. Rept. 1229);

Report of Joint Committee on Washington Metropolitan Problems entitled, "Growth and Expansion of District of Columbia and Its Metropolitan Area" (S. Rept. 1230);

H. R. 9739, fiscal 1958 supplemental Air Force construction authorization bill, with amendments (S. Rept. 1231);

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Committee Assignments: Senator Martin of Pennsylvania was excused from further service on Committee on Post Office and Civil Service.

Senator Hoblitzell was then assigned to Committee on the District of Columbia and to Committee on Post Office and Civil Service.

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Land and Water Resources: Senate adopted, as amended, S. Res. 148, regarding conservation and development of land and water resources. Prior to adoption, Senate rejected, on division vote, motion by Senator

Watkins to recommit resolution to the Committees on Public Works and Interior and Insular Affairs with instructions that the legal and technical staffs of these committees jointly prepare certain data respecting a Federal water resources development policy.

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Committee Expenditures—Small Business: Senate agreed to take up S. Res. 209, authorizing Select Committee on Small Business to make expenditures of not more than \$90,000 in making study of problems of American small business.

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Confirmations: Senate confirmed the nomination of Leverett Edwards, of Oklahoma, to be member of National Mediation Board, and 39 nominations in the Public Health Service.

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Nominations: 2,500 Army nominations were received.

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Recess: Recessed at 5:06 p.m.

### Committee Meetings

#### SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Committee held executive hearings on H. R. 10146, fiscal 1958 supplemental appropriations for the Defense Department, with testimony from Secretary Neil H. McElroy and Assistant Secretary (Comptroller) W. J. McNeil, both of the Department of Defense. The witnesses were accompanied and assisted by their associates.

Hearings continue tomorrow.